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RESPONSE

Dear Sir or Madam:

This communication responds to the non-final Office Action mailed on April 12, 2007, in connection with the above-identified patent application.

The three-month shortened statutory period for reply to the Office Action expired on July 12, 2007. Applicants respectfully petition the Commissioner for Patents to extend the time for response to the Office Action, for one month, from July 12, 2007, to August 12, 2007. August 12, 2007, is a Sunday. Enclosed is a check in the amount of \$120.00 for the one-month extension of time fee. It is respectfully submitted that this Response is timely filed within the extended deadline of August 12, 2007. If any additional extension period is required in order for this paper to be timely filed, then Applicants hereby request an extension for such additional time period and authorize the appropriate fees therefore to be charged to the Kagan Binder Deposit Account No. 50-1775 and notify us of the same.

It is believed that no other fee(s) are required in filing this Response. However, if any fee(s) are required, please charge all of the appropriate fee(s) to the Kagan Binder Deposit Account No. 50-1775 and notify us of the same.

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